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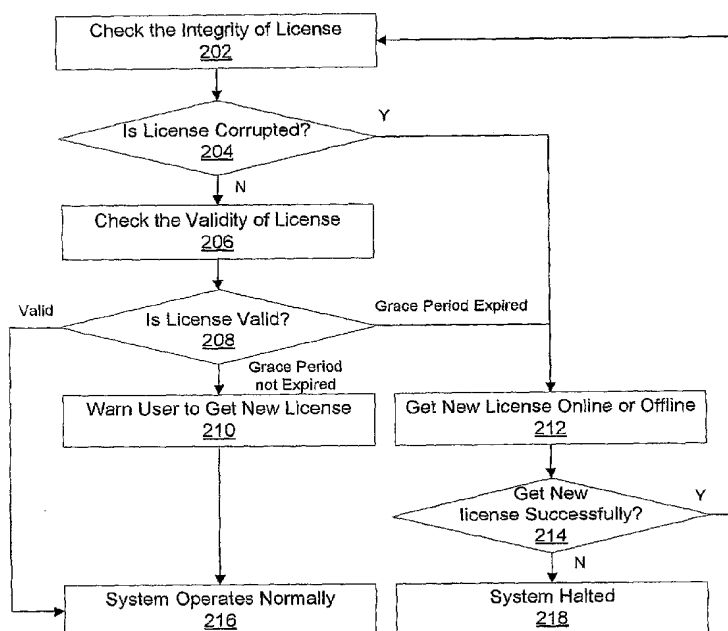
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(57) Abstract: It is disclosed a method that may monitor and control loan installment or other fee payment for an asset. The method may comprise checking validity status of a first license that comprises allowable usage information of a user device; and disabling use of the user device based on the validity status to control payment for the user device.

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